ക്കാരും അടച്ചിട്ടുള്ള സംഖ്യയും കാണിക്കുന്ന ഒരു സ്റ്റേറ്റ്മെണ്ട് ദയവു ചെയ്ത് മേശപ്പുറത്ത് വെക്കുവാൻ ഗവർമ്മെണ്ട് പ്രസാദിക്കുമോ?

റാവുസാഹിബ് മിസ്റ്റർ ടി. വി. കസ്തൂരിരെങ്കയ്യർ.—കഴിഞ്ഞ മകരം മീറ്റിങ്ങിൽ ഫറന-ാം നമ്പ്ര ചോദ്യത്തിനുണ്ടായ ഉത്തരം നോക്കുക.

The assignment of accretions in Edavanakkad.

43. **Mr. Poulo Mampilli.**—Will the Government be pleased to state whether it would be pleased to assign to people who have lost their lands by sea erosion, in the Edavanakkad village, an area equal in value or area from the accretions in the adjoining villages? If not, will the Government be pleased to state why it refuses to do this act of justice?

Rao Sahib Mr. T. V. Kasturi Ranga Ayyar.—The loss of lands by sea erosion is not confined to Edavanakkad village. The question of assigning lands to people who have lost their lands by sea erosion will receive due consideration.

The shifting of a toll gate to Pattikulam.

44. **Mr. A. Eachara Menon.**—Will the Government be pleased to place on the table the correspondence ending with the shifting from Kannimari Thekku to Pattikulam, Chittur Taluk, of the toll gate which formed the subject-matter of a grievous petition from the land-holders to the east of the gate, and, of also the question No. 409 (b), page 1135 of Vol. II, Part 14?

Rao Sahib Mr. T. V. Kasturi Ranga Ayyar.—Question No. 409 (b) answered at the Kumbham meeting of the Council related to the shifting of the Kalyanapetta toll gate from its original position at Meenakshipuram to Kannimari. The toll gate was again shifted towards the end of 1101, and there has been no complaint consequent on this shifting. The toll gate is now located at the 6th mile, 5th furlong, of the Tattamangalam-Pollachi road. In view of the above facts, there is no necessity to place the file on the table.

Mr. A. Eachara Menon.—What were the reasons which induced the Government to shift the toll gate from Kannimari Thekku to Pattikulam? Is not the Government aware of the serious hardship caused thereby to the cultivators? When the toll was shifted from Meenakshipuram, there were grievances of the pepole who were holding lands to the east of the Kannimari road. Question No. 409 was put by the Member for Tattamangalam to bring to the notice of the Government the serious hardship caused to the cultivators to the east of Kannimari. Since then, the toll gate has been shifted further west.

President.—That is near Nanniode?

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Mr. A. Eachara Menon.—Pattikulam—thereby adding more members and causing hardship to more people.

President.—That is, people who need not have paid toll under the original programme, are now called upon to pay toll under the present shifting.

Mr. A. Eachara Menon.—Those people asked me whether it was done with a vengeance. The answer given to my question by the Government is that there were no complaints.

President —These things we do only after investigation. When the toll is fixed in a particular place, and when there is a proposal to shift, we make new enquiries in the matter, and only after getting information, we sanction the shifting.

Mr. A. Eachara Menon.—I shall be highly obliged, if you will let me know the nature of the enquiries made.

Rao Sahib Mr. T. V. Kasturi Ranga Ayyar.—Though I cannot remember all the circumstances, there is one chief circumstance that I remember. This is the period when very large quantities of timber are felled, and are taken through Meenakshipuram to the Tattamangalam road, and our road is very much damaged, and in a way to compensate for that, we fixed a sort of boundary there. That is one reason.

Another reason was, some person—I do not exactly remember the name of that landlord—made a sort of diversion. He had the idea of making a diversion, thereby defeating the income of the toll contractor so that not a cart will pass that way. I am only speaking from memory. In order to get over that difficulty, it had to be shifted. So far as I know—I have been passing by that road almost every month—I have not received any complaints. There was such a complaint in regard to the Vadakkancheri-Kanjani toll. I enquired into the matter. I consulted the Hon'ble Member, Mr. Chakko, and I think we have in a way redressed their grievances. If the Hon'ble Member for the Chittur Constituency will approach me, and if the complaints are brought to my notice, I shall investigate and redress the grievances. Till now, there has not been any complaints.

Dr. A. G. Menon.—One petition signed by Mr. Muthayyan Pillai and 40 others was presented. On the strength of that I put that question.

Mr. A. Eachara Menon.—That was when it was stationed further east. Now it is stationed further west. Mr. Muthayyan Pillai and others wanted it to be shifted further east. Instead of doing that, you have shifted it further west. What is

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the use of making complaints? They complained, and they have got *this*.

Rao Sahib Mr. T. V. Kasturi Ranga Ayyar.—Mr. Muthayyan Pillai is one big landlord. He wanted to remove all his fuel, timber, etc., without any toll.

President.—Where is the present toll?

Dr. A. G. Menon.—Where do the two roads meet?

President.— At Tattamangalam?

Dr. A. G. Menon.—On the Vandittavalam road. There is another road from Mattunkkadavu. The present toll is situated there.

Rao Sahib Mr. T. V. Kasturi Ranga Ayyar.—Anyhow, we will consider the matter.

45. Mr. A. Eachara Menon.—Will the Government be pleased to place on the table the petition referred to in answer to question No. 409 (b) (2) with the Tahsildar's remarks thereon?

Rao Sahib Mr. T. V. Kasturi Ranga Ayyar.—The petition in original and a copy of the Tahsildar's remarks thereon are placed on the table.

Agricultural loans.

46. Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—Will the Government be pleased to state in the following tabular form the particulars with regard to (a) agricultural loans given by the Government during the last 10 years?

Name of the borrower.	Amount of loan.	Date of the loan and the alleged purpose of loan.	Short abstract of the terms of repayment.	Specific purpose for which the money was actually utilised	The amount outstanding, if any.	Remarks noting extraordinary features, if any.

(b) The names of applicants who were refused agricultural loans during the last 10 years;

Name of the applicant.	Amount requested by way of loan.	Date of the application and the alleged purpose of the loan.	The reasons for refusal.

Rao Sahib Mr. T. V. Kasturi Ranga Ayyar.—(a) and (b). The preparation of a statement giving the information required is a laborious task. The Member may refer to the registers of applications for agricultural loans and loans granted maintained in the Diwan Peishkar's Office under the provisions of *the Land Revenue Manual*. The Diwan Peishkar will render him all facilities.

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